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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action dated February 20, 2003, up to and including August 20, 2003, for the purpose of permitting the timely filing of the enclosed Amendment.

Authorization to charge the additional fee of \$930 for the three-month extension of time for a large entity, and/or any additional fees associated with this Petition For Extension of Time is granted in the attached Fee Transmittal Form.

Respectfully submitted,

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